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ENGROSSED SENATE BILL No. 306

DIGEST OF SB 306 (Updated March 31, 2009 3:10 pm - DI 84)

Citations Affected: IC 12-15.

Synopsis: Competitive bids for prescribed drugs under Medicaid program. Allows the office of Medicaid policy and planning to seek competitive bids for specialty pharmacy services.

Effective: July 1, 2009.

Miller, Mishler, Sipes

(HOUSE SPONSORS — BROWN C, BROWN T)

January 7, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Provider

February 12, 2009, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass. February 16, 2009, read second time, ordered engrossed. February 17, 2009, engrossed. Read third time, passed. Yeas 48, nays 1.

HOUSE ACTION

February 25, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health. March 23, 2009, reported — Do Pass. March 31, 2009, read second time, amended, ordered engrossed.







First Regular Session 116th General Assembly (2009)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or *this style type* reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2008 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL No. 306

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning Medicaid.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

l	SECTION 1. IC 12-15-11-7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 7. (a) The office may
3	seek competitive bids for the following items or services provided
1	under Medicaid:

- (1) Prescribed drugs and services for state operated institutions.
- (2) Physical therapy and other therapeutic services.
- (3) Prescribed laboratory and x-ray services.
- (4) Eyeglasses and prosthetic devices.
 - (5) Medical equipment and supplies.
 - (6) Transportation services.
 - (7) Specialty pharmacy services.
- (b) As used in this section, "specialty pharmacy services" means services provided by a pharmacy that provides brand name (as defined by IC 16-42-22-1) prescription drugs that:
 - (1) require initial patient education;
- 16 (2) require monthly monitoring; and
- 17 **(3) either:**

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1	(A) cost more than five hundred dollars (\$500) per month:
2	or
3	(B) require refrigeration or special, specific shipping and
4	handling requirements.

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Health and Provider Services, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 306, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

Page 1, line 5, after "services" delete ".".

Page 1, line 5, reset in roman "for state operated institutions.".

Page 1, after line 10, begin a new line single block indented and insert:

"(7) Specialty pharmacy services.".

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 306 as introduced.)

MILLER, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 10, Nays 0.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health, to which was referred Senate Bill 306, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

BROWN C, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 7, nays 1.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 306 be amended to read as follows:

Page 1, line 2, after "7." insert "(a)".

Page 1, after line 11, begin a new paragraph and insert:

- "(b) As used in this section, "specialty pharmacy services" means services provided by a pharmacy that provides brand name (as defined by IC 16-42-22-1) prescription drugs that:
 - (1) require initial patient education;
 - (2) require monthly monitoring; and

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- (3) either:
 - (A) cost more than five hundred dollars (\$500) per month; or
 - (B) require refrigeration or special, specific shipping and handling requirements.".

(Reference is to ESB 306 as printed March 24, 2009.)

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